GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1706
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ATTACHMENT OF PROPERTY OF AIRPORT AUTHORITY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Secunderabad Cantonment Board `attached` all immovable properties of the National Airport Authority of India;

(b) if so, the details of the dues pending for settlement; and

(c) the reasons for not reminding for paying the property tax on time?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) to (c): Yes, Sir. The National Airport Authority failed to clear the taxes due amounting to Rs. 6,63,61,340/- for the period from 1.4.1995 to 31.3.2000, despite repeated correspondence and meetings, held between the Cantonment Board and the Airport Authority of India. The Attachment proceedings have, now, been lifted on deposit of part-payment by them.